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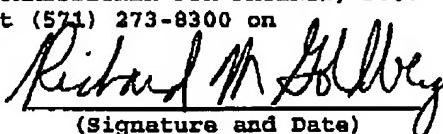
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 21, 2005,
please amend the above-identified Application as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.